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SUBJECT: GSDR SACKS THREE AMBASSADORS: TWO DECLARED "ANTI-
REVOLUTIONARIES"

1. THREE FORMER AMBASSADORS WERE AMONG 13 CIVIL SERVANTS
REMOVED FROM GOVERNMENT ROLES ACCORDING TO OFFICIAL SONNA
BULLETIN JANUARY 6. BULLETIN THAT DAY STATED THAT, LIKE
OTHER DISMISSED OFFICIALS, THE THREE WOULD RECEIVE PENSIONS
BUT CORRECTION PUBLISHED NEXT DAY SAID THAT TWO, EX-ENVOYS
TO LIBYA (MOHAMED HASHI ABDI) AND KUWAIT (MUSA ISLAN FARAH)
WERE QTE ANTI-REVOLUTIONARIES UNQTE ENTITLED TO NO RPT NO
BENEFITS. FORMER AMBASSADOR TO ROME, HUSSRIN NUR ELMI,
THE OTHER AMBASSADOR RELIEVED, WILL RECEIVE PENSION.

2. FSL SOURCE SAYS DISTINCTION AMONG THREE BASED ON WILLINGNESS
RETURN SOMALIA AFTER FOREIGN POSTINGS. MOHAMED HASHI, WHO NOW
IN JIDDA, AND MUSA ISLAN (PRESENT WHEREABOUTS UNKNOWN) REFUSED.
HUSSEIN NUR ELMI, REPORTEDLY FIRED FOR REFUSAL CATEGORICALLY
DENY TO ITALIAN PRESS U.S. ALLEGATIONS SOVIET BASE AT BERBERA,
DID RETURN. WE UNDERSTAND THAT MOHAMED HASHI AND MUSA ISLAN MADE
NO SECRET OF THEIR DISTASTE FOR SIAD REGIME AND HAVE SOUGHT
POLITICAL ASYLM ABROAD.

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3. REMAINDER CIVIL SERVANTS OSTENSIBLY OVER-AGE OR INCOMPETENT.
FSL SOURCE, HOWEVER, SAYS ONLY TWO OF 13 APPROACHING AGE 60 AND
THAT FIRINGS WIDELY REGARDED AS ANOTHER MINOR PURGE OF OFFICIALS
NOT IDEOLOGICALLY ATTUNED TO QTE SCIENTIFIC SOCIALISM UNQTE.
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